

Wasatch Stake Young Men's Mutual Improvement Association Superintendents.



James H. Moulton

Joseph W. Musser
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John Thomas Roberts



A. M. Hansen



Charles N. Broadbent



Sylvester Broadbent



John Anderson



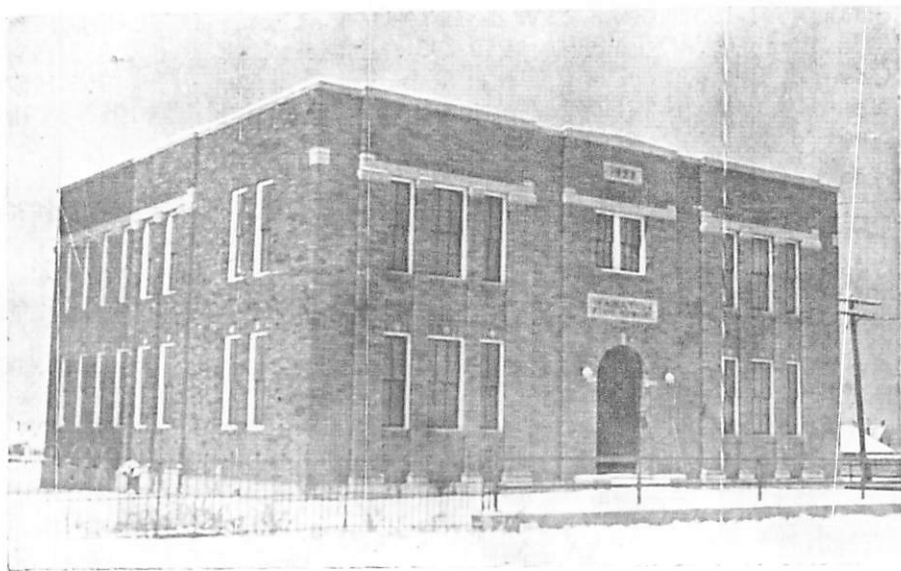
Heber M. Rasband



Ferrell Anderson

Floyd Bonner, James Harvey, Ervin Anderson, Lyman Rich, Welby Young and Errol Hicken. Paul Kuhn was secretary.

Succeeding Elder Rasband was Ferrell Anderson who served in 1939 and 1940 with Wendell Rigby and Charles Bronson as assistants. Wendell Rigby then became superintendent and served until 1942 when Charles Bronson was sustained as superintendent. His assistants were



Wasatch Stake Seminary Building

on a new building. In the meantime, the home itself was used for seminary class instruction.

Materials for the new seminary building came from several sources. Much usable material was obtained from the Clegg home when it was torn down, and about that same time the Heber Tithing and Grocery building was torn down and part of this material was used in the seminary. Later in the year the Heber Central School burned, but some usable materials were salvaged and purchased for use in the seminary building construction.

When completed the seminary building had cost some \$25,000, including furnishings and equipment. Half the cost was borne from general Church funds, and the nine wards of the stake contributed the other half.

This method of financing Church buildings—part of the expense being borne by the Church general funds and the balance by the local wards or stake—was instituted during the presidency of Heber J. Grant. Prior to that time local areas had to finance the entire cost of their building projects. Many of the early Church buildings in Wasatch Stake, including the Stake Tabernacle, were built and dedicated without any general Church participation.

Elder Jacobsen, the first seminary principal, served in Heber until 1920 when he was transferred to the Vernal seminary. Those who followed him at the seminary have included: Ralph F. Nilsson, 1920-1923; David A. Broadbent, 1923-1937; Heber M. Rasband, 1925-1927; Royden C. Braithwaite, 1937-1941; Wendell M. Rigby, 1937-1942; Harold H.

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Some wards in Wasatch Stake organized young men's groups as early as 1879, but it was 1887 before a formal stake superintendency and board was organized. Chosen as the first superintendent was James H. Moulton. His assistants were Fredrick Rasband and William Lindsay. Later Elder Rasband moved to Park City and Adolphia Y. Duke joined the superintendency. These brethren served together until 1902 when Joseph W. Musser became superintendent. Serving with him as assistants until 1906 were LeRoy E. Coles and William T. Wootton.

John T. (Tom) Roberts became stake superintendent in 1906 and served until 1909. Assistants to him were Lawrence B. Duks, T. DeVera Smith and H. P. (Piercy) McMullin, with Adolphia R. Duke as secretary.

In 1909 A. M. Hansen became superintendent, and served with Lawrence B. Duke and George Wootton as assistants and H. P. McMullin, secretary.

Sustained in 1915 was Charles N. Broadbent. Assistants who served with him included H. Ray Hatch, J. R. Smith, Edwin D. Hatch and William J. Bond. Frank Conrad was secretary. Sylvester Broadbent was appointed superintendent in 1919 and was succeeded in 1920 by John Anderson. Assistants were Charles DeGraff and L. C. Montgomery, with Frank Conrad as secretary.

Heber M. Rasband became superintendent in 1925 and served faithfully until 1939. Those who were his assistants included Don Clyde,

1936 H. M. Rasband

One of the community's most active service groups is the Heber Lions Club which received its charter from Lions International on December 10, 1928. The charter members included Ralph E. Strub, the first president, John M. Turner, William L. Anderson, John A. Anderson, Walter H. Seiter, Dr. H. R. Read, Earl M. Hardy, Earl H. Smith, Earl Tilson, Jesse L. Hiatt, Jack A. Jensen, A. W. Cheney, Joseph A. Rasband, Emer W. Murdock, Owen F. Buell, Laban Hylton, Dr. B. A. Dannenberg, Wilson Dean, G. W. Baker and George B. Stanley. Owen F. Buell was the first secretary and retained the position for 10 years.

Presidents of the club after Mr. Strub have been, in order of their service, Jesse L. Hiatt, Earl M. Hardy, John A. Anderson, Ralph F. Nils-son, Storm McDonald, John M. Turner, Joseph Hylton, Lowe Ashton Sr., Riley C. Draper, Clyde Broadbent, Dr. Karl O. Nielson, Heber M. Rasband, Ralph Stringham, L. C. Montgomery, Lloyd J. Wettencamp, Harold H. Smith, Andrew J. Mohr, Wesley Walton, Andrew McConkie, Edson Packer, George Strebel, Raymond Jiacoletti, Lloyd Lawton, L. A.

JOSEPH A. AND ELIZA ANN JEFFS RASBAND



On December 3, 1890, this young couple boarded a train at Park City for Logan, where they were united in marriage in the temple. Upon returning home they were given a wedding dinner and dance in the Turner Hall.

In 1893, Joseph received a call to go on a mission to the Samoan Islands for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. These islands were unknown then. It was necessary to have the school principal, Henry M. Aird, help them locate the islands on the map. Their first child, Sylvan, was just over a year old. It was decided Joseph's mother would tend the baby and Eliza would work in her father's store (Mark Jeffs' Store) to support her husband on his mission.

Eliza started out as a clerk in her father's store when she was very young. Her father started his business in a room of the family home where the yardage and dry goods was measured on the bedstead and stored under the bed. She continued to be his clerk and helper until he had a thriving business on Main Street. When her husband returned from his mission, Eliza had bought five calves and had saved enough money to buy a buggy and a cow.

After three years of faithful labor, Joseph came back to his home and brought a little Samoan girl with him. Her family was ex-